RECEPTION AND BALL

THE SOCIAL AND ENJOYABLE ENTER-TAINMENTS GIVEN LAST NIGHT.

Mrs. Terhune Receives-Mrs. Taylor Enains Members of the New Orleans Party-A Mask and Domine.

The reception given last night by Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Hawes at their residence, orner Franklin and Fifth streets, in honor of Mrs. Terhune (Marion Harland) was a most elegant affair in all of its appoint-No formal invitations were exended except to the Governor and Mrs. leKinney and the officers of the Association for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities, but the general invitation to the nds of Mrs. Terhune and of Mr. and Mrs. Hawes to be present was responded to by a large gathering.

The parlors and supper-rooms were beau-tifully decorated with ferns and blooming plants and the absence of anything like at-tempts at elaborate toilets was a feature in contributing to the thorough sociability of the evening.

Among the guests were Governor and Mrs. McKinney, Hon. William Wirt Henry and Mrs. Henry, Rev. Dr. M. D. Hoge, Mrs. Judge Ball, Mr. and Mrs. De Saussure. Rev. Dr. Newton, Mrs. and Mrs. J. B. V. Daniel, Mr. and Mrs. James Lyons, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Jennings, Rev. Dr. Kert, Mrs. Russell Robinson, Mrs. E. V. Valentine, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Walson, Mr. E. V. Valentine, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Walson James, Dr. Thomas Nelson Page, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Archer, Dr. and Mrs. G. Watson James, Major L. R. Page, Mr. G. L. Bidgood, Mr. Wyndham R. Meredith, Rev. Dr. Richardson, Miss Beckham, Miss Gay Caskie, Mrs. Joseph R. Anderson, Mr. Samuel M. Fulliam, Mr. R. A. Brock, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Steger, Mrs. Tazewell Ellett, Mrs. William Mayo, Dr. Oppenhimer, Captain Robert Scott, Mr. W. A. Cary, Mr. Decatur Axtell, Mr. and Mrs. Talbott, Rev. Dr. Gammon, Mrs. J. Adair Pleasants, and many others. Indeed, the guests were coming and going tor several hours. tor several hours.

THE TALK THIS APTERNOON. This afternoon at half past 4 o'clock Mrs. Terhune will talk on the subject of Mary the Mother of Washington in the parlors of the Executive Mansion for the benefit of the Association for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities. The assemblage promises to be a most brilliant one. Mrs. Taylor Entertains Members of the

Mrs. Taylor Entertains Members of the New Orleans Farty.

One of the most delightful social enter-tainments of the season was given last night by Mrs. Charles F. Taylor, 'the belle of the New Orleans trip,'' as she has been frequently called since the return of the Howitzers from their visit to the Cres-

for the purpose of "talking over the trip and spending a social evening," were ex-tended to a large number of those who visited New Orleans, and the occasion was certainly a fitting sequel to that delightful memory of the past. POLK MILLER AND THE ALLIGATORS THERE.

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To make matters more realistic, Mr. Polk Miller was present with his tuneful banjo, which merrily twanged forth "Gooseberry Pie" and other familiar meiodies that brought back pleasant recollections. Some one in the party asked if the alligators which the New Orleans visitors brought back from the Croscent City had been included among the invited gueses; and sure enough, there they were, though on a slightly improved plan; that is so say, made of paper. Several of these reptiles, with sufficiently large mouths and disagreeable personal appearances, were scattered around the brilliantly-lighted and beautiful parlors in which the guests assembled.

EXENTRISO NICE TO EAT. EMERYTHING NICE TO EAT.

Captain and Mrs. Taylor asked their friends into the dining-room a few minutes after 10 and told them to "help themselves" to a magnificent supper, which was awaiting them. The repast, which consisted of oysters, salads, fruits, strawberries, cream, and punch, was then partaken of amid the reparts and jollity of suchlively spirits as Major Tom Brander, Mr. R. C. Morton, and Messes. Mul Crutchfield and Montie Wortham.

It is needless to say that every tongue was eloquent, both upon the conquests of the fair hostess in the Crescent City and the pleasures of that never-to-be-forgotten trip. Toasts' were proposed to the "fair men and brave women of the South" (it is said a certain Richmond captain dia ones propose such a toast) and also to two departed military heroes, whose memories were also honored amid the sparkling of wine by the merry Richmonders in New Orleans. IT WAS RED PEPPER.

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It is true that Captain Taylor himself did not go to New Orleans with the Howitzers and Veterans, but it was not Mr. Polk Miller's intention to let him secane without having a laugh on him, so he related the circumstances of the Captain's first meeting with Mrs. Taylor, and told how their happy union was brought about by a slight sprinkling of "red pepper," which was placed upon the Captain by a malicious joker.

A short while after the return of Mrs. Taylor from New Orleans she received a very mysterious parcel. Upon opening it she found a large and beautiful cake with the following inscription upon it: "To the Belle of New Orleans. She took 'de kake." This handsome specimen of culinary art was exhibited last night among the many other delicacies which crowned the festal board.

Those who were there.

THOSE WHO WERE THERE.

Among the ladies and gentlemen at the reception were Major and Mrs. Thomas Brander. Miss Louise Brander. Mr. and Mrs. George A. Smith, Captain and Mrs. John A. Hutcheson, Mr. W. H. Campbell, Miss Nannie Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Powers, Captain Beauregard Lorraine, Sergeants T. M. Wortham and Mulford Crutchfield, Dr. T. Wilber Chelf, Mr. R. C. Morton, Mrs. Larus, Miss Lizzle Lyons, Mr. Polk Miller, Captain A. B. Guigon, and Morton, Mrs. Larus, Miss Lizzle Lyons, Mr. Polk Miller, Captain A. B. Guigon, and Mr. D. O. Davis. Schiller Lodge of Odd-Fellows' Mask Ball.

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There was an unique and picturesque gathering at Sänger Hall last night, the occasion being a mask ball given by Schiller Lodge, I. O. O. F.

Among the more noticeable masks on the floor were: Buttercup, Miss Krouse; Farmer, Mr. Charles Steinbach; Cowboy, Mr. William Zimnerman; Indian Chief, Mr. J. Weisner; Germania, Miss Rupert; Spanish Dancer, Mr. John Krouse; Chimney Sweeps, Messrs. Wahl, Lutzner and Wagner, Conrad and Mr. Adolph Waldbauer; Cowboy, Mr. Louis Briel; Ragamuffin, Mr. Rupert; White washer and Wife, Mr. Gus Hanna and Miss J. Liess; Nogro Watter, Mr. Henry Liess; Irish Woman, Miss Staude; Indian Squaw, Miss Louisa Wolff; Negro Dude, Mr. Felix Boschen; Night and Snow, Misses Witte; Brigand, Mr. Willie Spilling, French Nursery-Maid, Mrs. J. C. Loth, United States, Miss Dunstan; Milkmaid, Miss Schumann; Spangle Girl, Miss Leakes; Rose Girl, Miss Wagner; Minnie Palmer, Miss Klemby.

The prizes were awarded as follows: First prize, a silver card-stand, to Miss Rupert, as Germania: second prize, gold-headed cane to Messrs, Wahl, Lutzner, and Wagner, as Chimney-Sweeps; third prize, cold-headed umbrolla, to Mr. Hanna and Miss Leiss, as Whitewasher and Wife; fourth prize to Miss Staude as Irish, Wo-

The festivities of the evening were par-ticipated in with the greatest zest, and the whole entertainment was most enjoyable

The following deeds of bargain and sale were recorded yesterday in the Clerk's office of the Chancery Court:
George J. Hooper, Jr., special commissioner, to Charles L. Dencon, 25 feet on Second street northeast corner Preston,

Philip Whitlock and wife to American obacco Company, 88 feet on Franklin reet northeast corner Twentieth, \$1. COUNTY COURT OF HENRICO.

Jesse G. Crouch and wife to Henry R. Paircloth, 30 feet on west side Twenty-seventh street near W, \$100.

C. V. Meredith and wife and T. D. Newell to E. A. Catlin, ¾ interest in 93% acres on Nine Mile road,

Augus! Myer and wife to Warren S, Blackburn, interest in tract of land at Blackburn's Crossing, \$150.

H. P. Adams, by J. Q. Dickinson, to com-el specific performance of a contract o purchase 60 feet on north side Govern-nent road corner Lewis street and 50 feet

At the meeting of the Grounds and buildings Committee last night Colonel Dutshaw was instructed to advertise for hids for the purchase of the two engines and boilers used in operating the hoisting apparatus on the new City Hall; which will in the near future be dispensed with.

siated in the prosecution. The trial con-sumed nearly the entire day's session and resulted in the discharge of the accused. The indictment against John Del. Chiro, charged with the same offence, as well as the one against E. Donelli, was nolle pros-quied by the Commonwealth's Attorney. The court meets again to-day, but the jury was excused unta to-morrow.

FROM ACROSS THE JAMES.

Death and Burial of Mrs. Smith-Church

Notes—Personals and Briefs.

The funeral of Mrs. Ella Smith, who was so badly burned Saturday morning that she died that afternoon, took place at half-past 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon from the Meade-Memorial church, and was quite largely attended. Her remains were interred in Maury cemetery. Her son, Mr. William R. Smith, of Macon, Ga, was telegraphed for, but could not reach here in time for the funeral.

Mrs. Mary Ida Merritt died yesterday morning at 6 o'clock at her father's residence in Swansboro'. She was in her thirty-second yeer, and the wife of Mr. I. B. Merritt and the sister of Mr. W. F. Turnley. The funeral will take place to-day at 10 o'clock from Clopton-Street Baptist church. Notes-Personals and Briefs.

Rev. Dr. W. V. Tudor, of Broad-Street ethodist church, in Richmond, exchanged priprist Sunday morning with Rev. E. M. Peterson, of the Central church. Dr. Tudor had a large congregation to hear him and preached a fine sermon on "Christian Patience."

beneau a fine school at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning and Dr. Campbell at night.

The pulpits of the other churches were filled by their respective pastors.

A new Sunday school was organized in Swansboro' Sunday afternoon under the auspices of Meade-Memorial Episcopal church. City-Engineer Robert Nelson is the superintendent. It meets every Sunday afternoon in the public-school building in Swansboro' and has a membership of forty scholars. of forty scholars.

COUNTY COURT.

The March term of the Chesterfield County Court began yesterday. Several members of the bar from this city went out Major Joseph Walker went out to the Courthouse carrying with him a petition numerously signed by Manchester district property-owners, asking the Court to open an avenue from Forest Hill Park to Mott's Path road. It is contemplated to make this avenue 80 feet wide. Condemnatory proceedings will have to be instituted in several cases in order to get the right of way.

PERSONALS AND BRIEFS. COUNTY COURT. PERSONALS AND BRIEFS.

Rev. C. N. Van Houten, who has been ick for several days, was out yesterday. Mr. Charles M. Lowry, the newly-ap-ointed Free-Bridge watchman, will go on

pointed Free-Bridge waterman, and adjourned meeting of the Council Committee on Finance will be held tonight at 7:30 o'clock.

Mr. W. H. Sampson has been appointed assistant postmaster to succeed Mr. E. T. Du Val, who resigned to accept a position in the Mechanics and Merchanis Bank.

Mr. Patrick H. Gray, one of Manchester's oldest citizens, is lying critically ill at his residence, corner Eighth and Decatur streets.

CHURCH SERVICES LAST NIGHT. The Presbyterian Union Meet ing-Large Crowds and Several Conversions.

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The meetings which were so largely attended in Dr. Hoge's church last week were moved to the Grace-Street Presbyterian church last night, where they will be continued every night this week. Dr. Hoge preached a strong and pathetic sermon from Psalm 119, v. 153: "I beheld the transgressors, and was greved because they kept not Thy word." A meeting for prayer was appointed for to-morrow at 12 M. in the Grace-Street church.

Before commencing his discourse Dr. Hoge announced the scrious illness of Rev. Dr. Latimer, professor in Union Theological Seminary, Prince Edward county, and asked the congregation to unite with him in the brief prayer he would offer in behalf of that beloved minister of Christ and instructor of the young men of the

ctor of the young men of the Rev. Mr. Harrison preached last night

at the Second-Bap at church to a good audience on "Whatsoever thy hand findeth do that do with all thy might. discourse was addressed to Christian work-ers. A number of persons manifested in-terest in religion and one confessed. The meeting continues every night this

Dr. Felix, of Lynchburg, preached a ser-Dr. Felix, of Lynchburg, preached a sermon of rare power and eloquence last night at the Grace-Street Tabernacle. There were seven professions of faith and four persons presented themselves for church membership.

Rev. Hartley Carmichael, rector of St. Paul's church, preached the third of his series of sermons on Church Unity Sunday night to a large congregation. His subject was the Baptist and Congregationalists,

pleasant and full of historical interest.

MR. GRYMES BROKE HIS LEG.

serious accident yesterday morning.
This gentleman is the secretary and manger of the Richmond Grain Elevator By means of a hand-bar Mr. Grymes was attempting to move a car, when he slipped and fell. The iron bar dropped across his left leg, fracturing it in two places.

Drs. Brock, Johnston, Upshur, and Cullen responded to telephone messages and set the fractured bone, after which the unfortunate young man was carried to his home on west Cary street.

One of the fractures is a very severe one, and one of the physicians said last night that he feared it would be necessary to amputate the limb a short way above the knee. The injured man suffered a great deal.

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A Magnificent Animal.

Mr. William H. Sands has just received from New York a most valuable St. Bernard dog "Acme." This dog, while only twelve months old, recently made an enviable record in the recent New York bench-show. She is out of Mignon by Hector, the celebrated smooth-coated St. Bernard. Mr. Sands also has a very fine rough-coated St. Bernard pup which was bred in Philadelphia, Just now the St. Bernard is in great demand, and Sir Belvedere a short time ago was purchased for \$6,500. Hesper brought \$4,800, and "Cleonatra," half-sister of "Acme," brought \$2,200.

White Gets a Pardon.

C. White, convicted of unlawful shooting by the County Court of Pittsylvania, and sentenced to imprisonment in jail for three months and to pay a fine of \$150, was pardoned by the Governor yesterday. The pardon was recommended by the trial judge, Commonwealth's Attorney, and a number of prominent citizens. The couditions of pardon in this case are that White will hereafter abstain from the use of intoxicants and pay his fine in money.

An interesting meeting of the Young People's Christian Endeavor Society was held at the Marshall-Street Christian church Sunday afternoon. This is a new organization, which commenced its career the 23d of November last. The object and aim of it is to advance Christianity by a aim of it is a divance Christianity by a pledge to attend every meeting and to use strenuous individual effort in the cause of religion. This society now numbers thirty or forty members and is confined to no particular denomination.

The Year's Officers Elected.

The Hebrew Benevolent Association of Buchmond held its annual meeting Sunday at the upper Mavo-Street synagogue. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, K. Fisher; Vice-President, Sam. Jacobs; Secretary, H. E. Hirshberg; Treasurer, H. Marks: Collector, L. Kautronch, Executive Board: A. Hirshberg (chairman), Harris Jacob, A. I. Miller, P. Marks, and S. Scheile.

Want Fav for Repairing Locomotives.
A special telegram from Norfolk to the
DISPATCH received last night says:
Claims have been filed in the Hustings
Court in Portsmouth by the Richmond Locomotive- and Machine-Works against the
Atlantic and Danville Railway Company
amounting to nearly \$5,000 for repairing
locomotives for the railway company.

The Disparce of Sunday unintentionally did Mr. George Traver an injustice in saying he was committed in default of \$25 fine for contempt of court. Mr. Traver paid the fine to the Sergeant and was released, although the record in the office of the Clerk of the Court stated Saturday might that he was in custody.

There will be a meeting of the Fairfield Democratic Club to-night at 8 o'clock at Harden's shop. Hon. George D. Wise and Mr. Conway R. Sands and others will ad-dressthe meeting.

THEDEBTINTERVIEW

AN EXPLANATION OF MR. CLEVE-LAND'S RETICENCE.

Mr. Royall Says He Did Not Wish to Dis cuss the Fian of Settlement-The Ex-President Did Not Understand,

The Baltimore Sun of yesterday pub lished the following special from its New

New York correspondent:

"The dispatch in the San of Saturday from Richmond, in which Mr. W. L. Royall speaks of his recent visit to ex-President Cleveland, has excited much interest in southern circles here. It seems the ex-President was sitting one day in his William-street office when the eard of Mr. Royall, of Virginia, was handed to him. The owner was received with all due courtesy. No scooner had be gotten over the proliminary handshake than he began to question Mr. Cleveland about the Virginia-debt scheme. He was not long in discovering, as the San stated, that 'Mr. Cleveland did not manifest a desire to have any further discussion' of the subject. New York correspondent:

DID CLEVELAND UNDERSTAND? "Mr. Cleveland, it now appears, did not

"Mr. Cleveland, it now appears, did not understand who he was, and was not mindful of his connection with the Virginia debt question. He naturally hesitated to talk of the delicate and important financial and legal details of a professional charge with a stranger.

"This is only one of the many times that Mr. Cleveland has had to refuse to talk about the Virginia debt. People have written and visited him with all sorts of advice and interrogations on the subject. To one and all he very properly answered that he had nothing to say except that he

Mr. Royall was shown the Sun's special yesterday and in regard to it he said in the first place he wanted it understood that he had nothing whatever to do with the publications that have been made. He had nothing to say in respect to the manner in which Mr. Cleveland received him—whether it was courteous or not.

He says he did not ask Mr. Cleveland anything whatever respecting the proposed plan of settlement; that Mr. Cleveland did know who he was and what his connection with the Virginia debt was, as his (Royall's) first question to him was: "Do you know who I am and what my connection with the Virginia debt is?" To which Mr. Cleveland replied that he did.

DID NOT WISH TO INQUIRE.

DID NOT WISH TO INQUIRE. Mr. Royall says he had no intention of making any inquiries whatever with reference to the plans of settlement; that he wanted to urge this point upon Mr. Cleveland and this point only—that if he (Mr. Cleveland) would manifest a real and active interest in the settlement of the debt instead of a nominal interest only, and would come to Virginia and talk with the people, he believed that his commanding character and great personal influence could be made a bridge over the chasm between the two parties and might be the tween the two parties and might be the means of a settlement.

THE PURPOSE NOT UNDERSTOOD This Mr. Royall said was his sole pur This Mr. Royall said was his sole purpose, and every remark which he made to Mr. Cleveland was directed to getting him to take this view of the matter.

Mr. Royall said further that he wanted to do Mr. Cleveland complete justice in the matter, and that it is his deliberate belief that there was a misunderstanding between them, as Mr. Cleveland did not really appreciate his (Mr. Royall's) connection with the subject.

THOUSANDS HEAR JOHN JASPER. He Delivers His Sun Sermon to a Vast Mul-

titude of People. During his fifty-two years of preaching the Rev. John Jasper probably never had a larger congregation than that which greet-ed him Sunday morning.

The announcement had been made a

The announcement had been made a week previous that the famous sermon on the rotation of the sun would be delivered, and as a result hundreds of white people from all parts of the city, State, and country were present. ty were present.

The church, which has an accredited

and Duval streets, and

senting capacity of 1,400, is situated at the corner of St. John and Duval streets, and is known as the Sixth Mt. Zion.

The body of the church was reserved for the white people, and there was no possible way in which another person could have gotten in unless he had walked on the heads and shoulders of others. There were about 2,500 people in the church, and hundreds unable to gain admission were compelled to leave. The visitors spared no part of the editice, seventy-eight of them actually invading the pulpit.

Some of these were newspaper-men; most of them were not. One accomplished journalist, who has long since climbed above the top of the local staff, divided time with the venerable pastor in the occupancy of the minister's chair. When the divine was up the newspaper-man was down, and when Jasper was seated the scribe stood. A lady missionary came in though, at the last moment before the sermon occupied an hour and a half in its delivery and the frequent outbursts of laughter did not disconcert the preacher in the least. On the contrary he seemed to expect and rather to enjoy them. At times there was also applause. The twelve deacons did all possible to preserve order and maks the people as comfortable as possible. There were a number of northern people present. Several hundred went to the church who could not get in.

TUMBLED FROM A TRAPEZE. A Performer Falls Twenty Feet and is

Only Slightly Injured.

About half-past 9 o'clock last night Edward Culby fell from the trapeze while performing at the Broad-Street Opera-House to the floor below, a distance of about twenty feet.

At the time of the accident the gymnast was standing up and in dropping down he did not catch the bar as he expected. Luckily he fell immediately in the aisle, striking one shoulder and a hip against a chair. The audience thought sure the man was dead and were nearly afraid to look. Several of his brother actors picked him up and carried him into his dressing room, where he was laid on an improvised pallet.

The ambulance was talenhoused and upon

The ambulance was telephoned and upon its arrival the doctor in charge made an examination of the injured man, and to the satistaction of himself and friends found that no bones were broken, though the bone of one finger was dislocated.

CULBY SPIT UP A LITTLE BLOOD. There is a bare possibility that internal injuries may have been sustained, but the physician does not think so. The shoulder and hip which struck against the seat were somewhat bruised. Culby suffered greatly while the doctor was pulling the bone into place, but seemed almost immediately relieved.

There was no net under the trapeze at the time, and that a person should fall such a distance and not be hurt is almost miraculous.

Postponed for a Week.

The visit to Washington of delegations from the bar of Virginia in the interest of the appointment of Hon. L. L. Lewis to the judgship of the Circuit Court of Appeals has been postponed from next Monday until the 23d instant. At 10 A. M. of that day they will meet at the National Hotel and proceed in a body to call on the President and Attorney-General and present the claims of the President of the Virginia Court of Appeals. The postpone ment was made at the suggestion of the Attorney-General, who writes that he will not be in Washington next Monday.

The dock was dragged all yesterday for the body of Mr. Trueman McMeekin, who left home last Thursday and has not been seen since. The missing man is about thirty-four years of age, but looks younger; is five feet and a half in height. By trade he is a blacksmith, and for ten years past has been employed at the Davis Bazaar.

Trimity Lodge, Fifth street, I. O. of G. T., will have a grand entertainment to-night at Central Hall. A spendid musical programme bas been arranged. Personals and Briefs.

Miss Maude Lee Bunger, of Danville, 18 visiting, Mrs. Simmons, on west Cary atreet.

Dr. George T. Walker, of Vinton, Roa-loke county, is stopping in the city this

is the guest of Mr. John F. Ragland, on Floyd avenue.

The Brookland Democratic Club held its weekly meeting has night and several candidates made speeches. Candidates were numerous at the county court-house yesterday and the attendance upon court was unusually large.

Charles Jones (colored) was received at the penitentiary yesterday from Lynch-urg to serve three years for malicious as-

Mr. Jeff. D. King, who has been travelling in the West for several years, is stopping for a few days with his sister. Mrs. William S. Murray, of Church Hill. Mr. George W. Brown, of the firm of Baldwin & Brown, who has been confined to his room with la grippe for the past ten days, is improving and expects to be out

Mr. John M. Riddell, one of Richmond's old citizens, left on yesterday for Arcadia, La. to visit his daughter, whom he has not seen for twenty-years. He expects to remain about two months.

In the City Circuit Court vesterday Mr.
J. A. MacMurdo recovered judgment
against the James-River Valley Immigration Society for \$61.10. Mr. MacMurdo
was formerly general manager of this company and sued for \$1,200. Rev. William H. Felix, D. D., of Lexing-

Rev. William H. Felix, D. D., of Lexing-ton, Ky., will arrive in the city to-day and will assist the pastor in a series of special meetings at the Leigh-Street Baptist church, preaching every night at 7:45 o'clock. While in the city he will be the guest of W. J. Westwood, on Broad street.

WASTE OF WATER.

Peterburg in the Same Condition as Rich-

To one and all he very properly answered that he had nothing to say except that he was one of a legal committee to whom certain papers and plans had been submitted. After careful examination these were approved. His work was done and he had nothing further to say to the public in the matter.

"The Virginia Debt Committee, when they began this work that has so far progressed so satisfactorily, adopted the rules of slow, conservative actioe. They are still pursuing this plan, and cannot be hurried into unwise or hasty moves. The progress so far made justifies every hope of a satisfactory final settlement. Certain obstacles yet remain to be overcome before the last legislative steps are to be taken, but everything points to the end they aim at being accomplished in the near future."

What Mr. Reyall Says.

Mr. Reyall Says. findex-Appeal, 5th.]

hundred and forty-three meters in use in Richmond, and the Mayor says they have given general satisfaction.

The suggestion is as applicable to Petersburg as to Richmond. We venture the assertion that at least one half the city water in Petersburg is wasted. The introduction of meters would greatly reduce the expenses of the water-works department, and at the same time reduce the cost of water to the consumers. What is also of equal importance, the use of meters would distribute the burden of the water tax equally and justly on all consumers. No man would pay for more water than he used, and if he wasted the water it would be at his own expense.

There is in the minds of some an apprehension that under the meter system consumers would restrict themselves in the use of water to the detriment of health and comfort. There is no ground whatever for this fear. A fair trial of the meter system would conclusively prove that consumers can get all the water they require at very much less than the present rates. There will, of course, be no waste of water as there is now no waste of gas, and the care and economy thus practiced by users of water would result, as we have said, in a reduction of expenses of the water-works department, and consequently in a corresponding reduction of the rate of consumers.

Let us hope that the Common Council Let us hope that the Common Council vall give this important matter the attention it deserves.

TURF EVENTS.

esterday's Results and the Entries for To-Day at Guttenburg.

First race—three quarters of a mile—A.
O. H. won; Groomsman second, Ripton
third, Time, 1:24%;
Second race—five eighths of a mile, selling—Glitter II. won; Catherine B. second,
Glenmound third. Time, 1:05%.
Third race—five eighths of a mile—Virgie
won; Fabian second, Patti third. Time,
1:07.

Fourth race—three quarters of a mile— Lemon-Blossom won; Owen Golden se-cond Longevity third. Time, 1:22%. Fifth race—one and one eighth miles, selling—Rancocas won; Harry Ireland se-cond, Armiel third. Time, 2:11. Sixth race—seven eighths of a mile, sell-ing—Neptunus won; Harrisburg second, Shotover third. Time, 1:39%.

ENTRIES FOR TO-DAY. First race—seven eighths of a mile, selling—Royalist, 115; Groomsman, 115; Cheeney, 112; Wahoo, 112; Annie M, 112; Roseville, 104; Caraccus, 104.

Second race—five eighths of a mile, selling—Defendant, 109; Catherine B., 106; Charley, 105; Little Grand, 104; Ruth, 101; Given by Warner P. Rosne and James L. Tallaforro, two of the commissioners appointed under said decree.

Given under my hand as clerk of the said court was a commissioner of Sabragar, 1891. First race-seven eighths of a mile, sell-

Third race-six and a half furlongs-Joe Third race—six and a half furlongs—Joe Courtney, 113; Guarantee, 113; Ill Spent, 110: Dalsyrian, 107; Needmore, 99.

Pourth race—five eighths of a mile, selling—Climax, 120; Peril, 114; McDowell, 114: Buckstone, 114: Electricity, 108: Ongon, 108: Ell. H. (gelding), 107: Discount, 107; Montpelier 105; Aolph H., 92.

Fifth race—seven eighths of a mile, handicap—Rancocas, 118; Prince Fortunatus, 116: Glenmound, 105: Little Joker, 102; Climax, 18; Stonington, 93.

Sixth race—seven eighths of a mile, sell-

186.0.
Inman Line—New York to London via Queenstown—City of Paris, 179.9; City of New York, 184.3; City of Berlin, 251.5; City of Richmond, 256.3; City of Chicago, 950.4.

White Star Line—New York to London via Queenstown.—Teutonis, 185.4; Majestic, 188.9; Germanic, 216.1; Britannic, 217.1; Adriatic, 238.0; Celtic, 243.1. North German Lloyd—New York to London via Southampton.—Sahn, 184.8; Trave, 197.6; Saale, 201.9; Aller, 202.7; Eider, 205.9; Fulda, 207.7; Werra, 208.3; Ems, 208.7; Elde, 215.7; Kaiser Wilhelm II.

Cunard Line—New York to London via Queenstown.—Etruria, 187.4: Umbria, 193.7; Aurama, 207.9; Servia, 211.8; Gallia, 235.2; Bothnia, 257.8.

Anchor Line—New York to London via Queenstown.—City of Rome, 206.1.
Guion Line—New York to London via Queenstown.—Alaska, 207.1; Arizona, 222.2; Nevada, 256.4; Wisconsin, 284.6.
General Transatlantic Line—New York to Paris via Harve.—La Bretagne, 205.9; Lo Bourgogne, 208.7; La Gascogne, 218.3; La Champagne, 221.2; La Normandie, 225.1.

The mail-carrying privilege is one eagerly sought, as it is quite remunerative. It is awarded to the fastest steamers of such line. Cunard Line-New York to London via

THE L. AND N. ROAD. August Belmont, Chairman Board of Directors-M. H. Smith, President.

[By telegraph to the Dispatch.] New York, March 9.—At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Louisville and Nashville road to-day the office of chairman of the board was created, and Mr. August Belmont was elected to occupy the position in control of the New York office of the company, Milton H. Smith, the present vice-president of the road, was elected president, with his offices at Louisville, Ky.

Bissatisfaction Among Shoe-Workers, (By telegraph to the Dispatch.)

Bosron, Mass., March 9.—At a meeting of the boot- and shoe-workers yesterday evening every delegate present reported much dissatisfaction in the Boot- and Shoe-Workers' International Union because of the present management, and it was decided to put a Knight-of-Labor organizer in the New England field at once. Alabama's Wealthiest Man Dies.

(By telegraph to the Dispatch.) MONTOOMERY, ALA., March 9.—Josiah Morris, a leading banker in this city and perhaps the wealthiest man in the State, died at his home this morning. He was stricken with paralysis two years ago, and never fully recovered. He was a native of Maryland. Highest of all in Leavening Power .- U. S. Gov't Report, Avg. 17. 1889.



ABSOLUTELY PURE

AUCTION SALES-This Day. By James B. Elam, Real Estate Agent and Auctioneer, 1113 Main street. TRUSTEE'S AUCTION SALE

ATTRACTIVELY-LOCATED AND VALUABLE DETACHED TWO-STORY FRAME DWELLING NO. 2017 VENABLE STREET. SOUTH SIDE OF VENABLE STREET, TWENTY-SECOND AND TWENTY-THIRD (OR JESSAMINE) STREET.

In execution of a certain deed of trust to me, dated May 17, 1889, recorded in Deed-Beck 188 C, page 2, Richmond Chancery Court, default beving been made in the debt secured, and being required so to do by the beneficiary, I shall sell by public auction, on the premises, on CHANDAN Mages 1889. TURSDAY, MARCH 10, 1891,

at 4% o'clock P. M., the LOT AND DWELLING described in said deed and situate as above stated, the lot fronting 3% feet, more or less, on Venable street and extending back within parallel lines 162 feet, more or less, to Burton street; the dwelling being a near and substantial one containing aboutsever rooms with the usual conveniences, in good repair, and under a good repair. TREMS: Cash as to expenses of sale, any de-inquent taxes, and the sum of \$428.10, with in-terest thereon from the 20th day of November, 1890, and the residue upon such terms as the granter in said deed shall direct, or the trustee think fit and as will be annoanced at time of sale.

JAMES R. ELAM,
Trustee.

By J. H. Valentine, Auctioneer, 1536 east Main street.

AT AUCTION TO-DAY AT 101

1 MARBLE-TOP CHAMBER SUIT.
Several BEDSTEADS, BOLSTER and PILLOWS,
LOUNGES;
5 COOKING-STOVES—good as new;
1 RAG-CARPET, 2 BUREAUS,
6 OAK and CHERRY TABLES,
1 ROUND MAHOGANY CENTRE-TABLE,
1 very fine BOUGLE MATTRESS,
1 BOOK-CASE, with large glass doors;
An assortment of CROCKERY, TIN-, and
GLASSWARE; 5 dozen HATS; line of CLOTHING—men's and boys' suits; NOTIONS,
JEWELRY, &c. J. H. VALENTINE,
mh 10
Auctioneer.

By D. A. Timberlake, Auctioneer, No. 1410 Main street.

WILL CONTINUE THE SALE THIS MORNING at 10% o'clock at my store, of the balance CANNED GOODS, CROCKBRY, BLACKING, MATCHES, 2 SHOW-CASES, CIDER, &c., &c. ALSO.

for; 1 GOAT, HARNESS, and CART will be added. mh 10 D. A. TIMBERLAKE, Auctioneer, AUCTION SALES-Future Days. SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ES-TATE OF VALICUSTER COUNTY.—By virtue of a decree pronounced in chancery suits of Dawson & Co. vs. Ross and others, Morgan Treat vs. Taliaferro, special commissioner, and Ross and others vs. Roane, trustee, and others, at cannary special term. 1891, of Gloucester Circuit Court, the understiped will sell at public auction at Gloucester Courthouse on

ALL GOODS bought on Friday and not called

MONDAY, APRIL 6, 1891. at I o'clock P. M., that VALUABLE FARM known as "South White Marsh," in Gloucester county, containing about 845 ACRES. Splendid grating-and farming-lands. About 300 acres in timber and farming-lands. About 300 acres in umber-pine, chestnut, white- and red-oak. The improve-ments are good; fencing is good; a desirable neighborhood; convenient to churches, schools, post-offices, and telephone offices; convenient to Noriolk, Richmond, and Baltimore by daily steamers on Ware, Severn, and York rivers. The farm will be sold in parcels or as a whole. This is a rare opportunity for purchasing land of such great value.

of such great value.

TRIMS: One fourth cash: the balance on six, tweive, and eighteen months, taking from purchaser or purchasers to make with approved personal security, retaining title until the whole purchase-money is paid.

MARNER P. ROANE.

J. I. TALLAFERRO,

Special Commissioners.

February 28, 1891. IN THE CLERK'S OFFICE OF THE CIRCUIT COURT

this 33d day of February, 1891. mh 1-4w SAMUEL B. CHAPMAN, C. C. REAL ESTATE AT PRIVATE SALE, E LOOK AT THIS!

BOUGHT WITH YOUR RENT-MONEY AND A

a haif ursts the Official Record of the Delivery of Foreign Mails N. M.

Superintendent of Foreign Mails N. M.

Brooks has recently been studying the rapidity with which the various ocean street. \$100 cash; balance monthly. Very near. \$2,750—TWO NEW FRAME, 6 rooms, O street near Twenty-eighth. \$220 cash; balance monthly. Very near. \$2,750—TWO FRAME, 6 rooms, Ninth near Clay street. \$100 cash; balance monthly. Courtal. \$2,750—TWO FRAME, 6 rooms, Ninth near Leigh street. \$100 cash; balance monthly. Courtal. \$2,750—TWO FRAME, 6 rooms, Ninth near Clay provided the street. \$100 cash; balance monthly. Courtal. \$2,750—TWO FRAME, 6 rooms, Ninth near Leigh street. \$100 cash; balance monthly. Courtal. \$2,750—TWO FRAME, 6 rooms, Ninth near Leigh street. \$100 cash; balance monthly. Courtal. \$2,750—TWO FRAME, 6 rooms, Ninth near Clay provided the results of his investigation he has just published in a report to the Postmast to the steamer and from the steamer to the London and Paris post-offices. The tables are:

Hamburg-American Line—New York to 8.6; Normannia, 181.1

MAIN STREET BETWEEN ELEVENTH AND TWELFTH STREETS. Subject to ground-rent. Pays 10 per cent. net. Always occupied. Early possession if desired. Mays occupied. Early possession if desired. The state of the state o

FOR RENT. FOR RENT, THAT DESIRABLE the corner of Leigh and Ninth streets, furnished or not, with beautiful lot attached—shade trees and flowers—modern improvements. Call mn 10-15

Landlords and Tenants ARE BOTH SERVED BY OUR Printed Rent-List.

Call or send for it.

J. THOMPSON BROWN & CO.,
mh 8-2t 1118 Main street. FOR RENT, NICE OFFICES over the New York Steam Laundry, on a link street near Main, supplied with steam heat, gas, water and janitor's attentions.

H. SELDON TAYLOR & SON, mh 8-3t corner Eleventh and Bank streets

One to secure good tenants; the other to secure good homes. We advertise a full description of the property we have for rent therein free. Call or send for it.

FOR RENT, STORE AND DWELLING, No. 423 Broad, between a Monroe and Heury. Rent low to an immediate tenant. H. SELDON TAYLOR & SON, BROAD-STREET STORE FOR Henry Wonzel, Esq. on south side Broad street between Third and Fourth streets, (No. 311 east Broad street.) An excellent stand for any rotal business. Possession at once.

FRANK D. HILL & CO., mh 8-2t Real Estate Agents.

Real Estate Agents.

FOR RENT, AT \$30 PER tween Fourth and Fifth, containing eight rooms besides kitchen and servants' rooms.

H. SELDON TAYLOR & SON, mh?-3t corner Eleventh and Bank streets.

REAL ESTATE AGENT AND AUCTIONEER

OUIS RAWLINGS,

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AUCTION SALES-Future Days. By Chewning & Rose, Real Es ate Agents, Auctioneers, and Brokers, No. 5 north Tenth street.

Stoneham's Committee, Plaintiff, cery Court of the City of Reed, &c., Defendants, Reed, &c., 1891. IN EXECUTION OF A DECREE IN the above-mentioned suit the undersigned, thereby appointed for the purpose, will sell by auction, on the premises, on

SATURDAY, MARCH 14, 1801, SATURDAY, MARCH 14, 1891.

at 14% o'clock P. M., the following-described property-to wit: A LOT OF LAND WITH THE IMPROVEMENTS THEREON fronting 20 feet on the west side of Buchauan street, in the city of Richmond, between Accommodation and Lownes streets, and running back between parallel times 75 feet. The improvements are susceptible of being converted into TWO TENEMENTS, which would yield a good return upon the outlay. Do not overlook this chance.

TENEMENTS, which would yield a good return upon the outlay. Do not overlook this chance.

TENEMES: One third cash; balance upon a credit of six and twelve months, said deferred payments to be evidenced by nesotiable notes with interest added from the day of sale, and the little to said property retained until the whole of the purchase-money is paid and a conveyance is ordered by the Court. W. W. CUSBY, JE., CHEWNING & ROSE, Authorets.

STORBHAM'S COMMITTER, PLAINTIFF, AGAINST REED, &C., DEFENDANTS—IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF THE CITY OF RIGHMOND. COURT OF THE CITY OF RIGHMOND.

I. Charles W. Goddin, clerk of said court, certify that the bond required of the special commissioner by the decree in said cause of February 21. 1891, has been duly given.

Given under my hand this 5th day of March, 1891,

CHARLES W. GODDIN,

mb 10

mh10 Clerk

A UCTION SALE OF HORSES,
A WULES, WAGONS, CARTS, COWS, PURNITURE, FARMING IMPLEMENTS, &c. Having sold my farm I will sell at public anotion at the toll gate, Mechanicsvile pike, on THURSDAY, March 12, 1891, commencing at 10:20 o'clock A. M., the following property: 20 Milch Cows, 3 Horses, 2 Mules, 1 new Mower (McCormick), 1 new Binder, 1 two-horse Wagon and Harness, 2 double Plows, 2 single Plows, 1 Hay Hake, 1 Ensilage Cutter (fell City), 1 Aeme Harness, 2 two-horse Brag, 1 Farm Bell, 1 Lawn Mower, 1 Feed Cutter, 2 Cultivators, 1 Corn Planter, 1 Corn Sheller, 1 lot of Hay, Plow Harness, showels, Spades, Forks, 1 Swing Churn, 125 Chickens, 1 good Cooking-Stove, Household Furniture, &c. TRMS: Cash. JOSEPH JOHNSON.

By Chewning & Rose, Real Estate Agents, Auctioneers, and Brokers, No. 5 north Tenth street.

Fox, Guardian,
rs.
Fox et als.

In the Chancery Court of the
city of Richmond. Decree of IN EXECUTION OF A DECREE IN the above-mentioned suit the understaned, hereby appointed for the purpose, will sell by action, upon the premises, on

FRIDAY, MARCH 13, 1891, FRIDAY, March 13, 1891, at 41% o'clock P. M., the following described PROPERTY—to wit: All that certain lof, place, or parcel of land with the two Frame Dwellings Nos. 463 and 405 and the two Frame Dwellings Nos. 463 and 405 and the two Frame Dwellings Nos. 463 and 405 and the two Frame Dwellings Nos. 463 and 405 and the two fits gentling at a point on the east line of Hanceck street 130 feet north of Marshall street, thence running nerthwardly, and fronting on said east line of Hanceck street 34 feet 4 inches, and extending back between parallel lines 53 feet, bounded on the south by an alley 10 feet wide.

If you wish to invest your money in proporty that will always yield you a good income upon the outley do not fail to attend this sale. This property has not been without tenants since its execution.

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TERMS: One third cash; balance upon a credit
of six and twelve months, said deferred payments to be evidenced by negotiable notes with
interest added from day of sale and the title te
be retained until the whole purchase-money is
paid and a conveyance ordered by the Court,
W. W. COSBY, JR.,
Special Commissioner. FOX, GUARDIAN, PLAINTIFF, AGAINST FOX AND OTHERS, DEFENDANTS—IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF THE CITY OF HIGHMOND.

I, Charles W, Goddin, clerk of said court, certify that the bond required of the special commissioner by the decree in said cause of Fobruary 16, 1991, has been duly given.

Given under my hand this 5th day of March, 1891. CHARLES W, GODDIN, mh 8 Clerk.

By Chewning & Rose, Real Estate Agents, Auctioneers, and Brokers No. 5 north Tenth street.

French Guardian.) In the Chancery Court of French et als. cree of December 13, 1890. IN EXECUTION OF A DECREE IN

THURSDAY, MARCH 12, 1891,

THURSDAY, MARCH 12, 1891, at 4:20 o'clock P. M., the following REAL RSTATE—to wit: All that certain lot of land fronting on the south side of Carrington istrement Park street on the west; 50 feet and running back between parallel lines to a barn or building. Small dwellings erected upon this property will yield a good return upon the outlay. lay.

Temms: One third in cash; balance upon a credit of six and twelve months, said deferred payments to be evidenced by negotiable notes, with integest added from day of sais, and the title to said property to be retained until the whole of the purchase-money is paid and a conveyance is ordered by the Court.

W. W. COSBY, Ja.,

Special Commissioner,

CHEWNING & ROSE, Auctioneers.

FRENCH, GUARDIAN, PLAINTIFF, AGAINST FRENCH STAIS, DEPENDANTS—IN THE CHAN-CERY COURT OF THE CITY OF RICHMOND. CERY COURT OF THE CITY OF ARCHAGAS.

I, Charles W, Goddin, clerk of said court, certify that the bond required of the special commissioner by the decree in said cause of December 19, 1890, has been duly given.

Given under my hand this 31st day of December, 1890.

CHARLES W, GODDIN,

By J. Thompson Brown & Co., Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers, 1113 Main street.

REAL ESTATE PAYING 8 TO 10 PER CENT. NET. AT AUCTION PRICES.

FOR FULL DESCRIPTION, LOCA-TION, &c., CALL FOR RICHMOND PROGRESS.

[mh 8-21] By N. W. Bowe, TRUSTEES' AUCTION SALE SMALL TRACT OF LAND

BOUT TWO AND A HALF MILES NORTH OF

RICHMOND NEAR THE BROOK

In execution of a deed of trust from Stephen Grymes to P. W. Grubbs, dated 18th of July 1878, and recorded in Henrico County Court in Deed-Book 134 "B," page 97, I will sell by auc-tion, on tion, on WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11, 1991,

WEDNESDAY, March 11, 1891, at 11 o'clock P. M., at the office of N. W. Bowe, No. 4 north Rievenin street, Richmond, Va., the LAND above referred to, containing 2 53-100 ACRES, fronting on a read near the new North road, and near the lands of Tucker K. Sands, Esq., Major A. W. Shellds, and others.

Thems: Cash sufficient to defray the expenses of executing the trust, the fees for drawing and recording said trust deed, and to pay a bond for \$152.32 with interest thereon from the 15th of July, 1880, and the residue upon terms to be announced at saie.

LEWIS P. WINSTON,
Administrator of P. W. Grubbs, deceased, mb5

By Charles A. Rose and Louis Rawlings, Real Estate Auctioneers. A TTRACTIVE AUCTION SALE HANDSOME MODERN BRICK DWELLING, No. 909 PARK AVENUE, OPPOSITE JOHN C. SHAFER'S BEAUTIFUE THE LOT FRONTS 34 FEET ON THE SOUTH

LINE OF PARK AVENUE, RUNNING BACK ABOUT 115 PERT TO A 20-FOOT ALLEY. At the request of the owner we will sell by WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11, 1891

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11, 1891, at 41% o'clock P. M. the above-described most desirable and valuable PROPERTY. This dwelling, with three stories, was built within the est few years, and besides being subslantially and well built in every respect contains all modern conveniences for houseaseping, etc., with ten or more large rooms. The neighborhood here is decidedly the most attractive and desirable in the city and being greatly in demand will undoubtedly enhance in value. Of these facts you will be more thoroughly convinced by lending us your presence.

TERMS: Essy and appounced at sale.

CHARLES A. ROSE

S. BAUMANN & BRO Manufacturers and Retailers.

SPRING SEASON.

Having received all our new styles for this Spring's trade, we are to exhibiting the largest assortment of handsome and well-made

PARLORS. ber of new, artistically CHAMBERS. surpass Upholstered Pieces, with silk cover- new and elegant caree

We show an end-FOR LIBRARIES. less variety of DINING-ROOMS. Leather-covered luxurious Arm, Easy quantity of new styles in and Side Chairs; also Mahogany and China Closets, cane, rand Oak Bookcases and Tables in new seat Chairs, Tables and

shades.

and odd designs.

ings, in all the new and delicate and oak Bedroom Sure Glass and Dressing Tal FOR

made to match.

Correspondence from any part of the United States will receive the

39 and 41 West 23d St.,

TOBACCO.

Thus I said the other day To a friend who passed my way:

"What shall I do to be at rest?"

INSURANCE STATEMENTS.

"Kind sir," said he, "chew DILL'S BEST"

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TION AND AFFAIRS OF THE ÆTNA INSURANCE COMPANY, HARTFORD,
IZED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF CONNECTICUT, MADE TO
DEPARTMENT OF THE STATE OF VIRGINIA IN PURSUANCE OF THE
STATE.

President—Jotham Goodnow.

Vice-Fresident—William R. Clare.
Secretary—Andraw C. Bayne.
Assistant Secretary—James F. Dudlby.
Assistant Secretary—William H. King.
Principal office—Harfford, Conn.
Organized and incorporated—Jung. A. D. 1519.
Commenced business—August 17, 1819.
Atterney for service of process in Virginia—Williamson Talley, Efficient.

II. ASSETS. Value of real estate owned by the company.

Leans on bond and mortgage (duly recorded and being first liens on the first upon which not more than one year's interest is due.

Interest due on all said bond and mortgage leans.

Value of the lands mortgaged, exclusive of building and perisnable improvements.

Value of the buildings mortgaged (insured for \$34,000 as collateral) Total value of said mortgaged premises (carried inside)...

THE SAME, AND THE AMOUNT LOANED ON EACH. 1,800 00

ACCOUNT OF STOCKS, BONDS, AND ALL OTHER SECURITIES (EXCEPT MORPHOGE-HYPOTHECATED TO THE COMPANY AS COLLATERAL SECURITY FOR CON-ACTUALLY LOANED BY THE COMPANY, WITH THE PAR AND MARKET VALUE OF

It shares of \$100 each. 1,100 60
National New Haven Bank, 2 shares of \$100 each. 200 60
New York and New New Jersey Telephone Company,
10 shares of \$100 each. 1,000 60 \$5,225 00 \$9,917 50 Cash in company's principal office.

Cash belonging to the company deposited in Rina National Bank, if ford, \$9,434.9; Phoenix National Bank, Hartford, \$23,25.92; Cha Oak National Bank, Hartford, \$50,000; Farmers and nechnoles tional Bank, Hartford, \$50,000; State Bank, Hartford, \$50,000; Bank, Hartford, \$50,000; State Bank, Hartford, \$50,000; Pirat National Bank, Hartford, \$50,000; State Bank, Hartford, \$50,000; Pirat National Bank, Hartford, \$50,000; National Exchange Bank, if ford, \$50,000; Connecticul-River Banking Company, Hertford, \$50,000; United States Trust Company, New York, \$24,440.9; New York Life Trust Company, New York, \$25,000; Bank of Montreal, Ottawa, \$4,500 Merchants National Bank, Chrisman, \$4,407.02; Grangers Bank of \$600.000; Connecticul Bank, Chrisman, \$4,400.000; Connecticul Ban

Merchants National Bank, Cincinnati, \$14,073.02; Grangors Bank of California, ban Francisco, 28,329.75; Bank of California, San Francisco, 48,331.67; Total

Interest due and accrued on special deposits.

Interest due and accrued on collateral logis.

Gross premiums in due course of collection not more than three months due The gross amount of all the assets of the company ... III. LIABILITIES. Gross claims for adjusted and unpaid lesses due and to become due...
Gross losses in process of adjustment, or in suspense, including all reported and supposed losses.
Losses resisted, including interest, cost, and other expenses thereon...

Total unearned premiums as computed above (carried out).

Amount reclaimable by the insured on perpetual fire-insurance policies, being 2 percent, of the premium of deposit received.

Due and accrued for salaries, rent, advertising, and for agency and other misclaneous expenses—small for printing, etc.

All other demands against the company, absolute and contingent, due and to become due, admitted and contested—viz: Commissions, brokerage, and other tharged us and to become due to agents and brokers on premiums paid and in course of collection, \$61,135.16; return premiums, \$24,634.48—total.

Total amount of all liabilities, except capital stock and net surplus.

Joint stock capital actually paid up in cash.

Burplus beyond capital and other liabilities.

Aggregate amount of all liabilities, including paid-up capital stock and neighborhood

Gross premiums received in cash on risks written and re-newed during the year. \$3,373,542 01 \$12,78 35 Deduct reinsurance, rebate, abatement, and return pre-miums \$30,533 00 30,557 \$2,983,203 01 \$137,103 SI

Net cash actually received for premiums (carried out).

eceived for interest on bonds and mortgages
seceived for interest and dividends on stocks and bonds, collateral loans, and from all
other sources
second received from all other sources—viz: Rents
spool premiums (less 5 per cent.) received for perpetual fire risks (carried instate).

Aggregate amount of income actually received during the year in cash V. EXPENDITURES DURING THE YEAR.

WILLIAMSON TALLEY, Agent

1117 MAIN STREET.